

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

CHARLESTON DIVISION

IN RE: ETHICON, INC.  
PELVIC SUPPORT SYSTEMS  
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL 2327

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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO THE  
CASES IN EXHIBIT A ATTACHED HERETO

**INACTIVE DOCKET ORDER**

The Court has been advised by counsel that in the cases listed on the attached Exhibit A, the plaintiffs and Ethicon, Inc.<sup>1</sup> ("Ethicon") have agreed to a settlement model with regard to Ethicon. The Court, therefore, finds it unnecessary to conduct further proceedings or to keep these cases on the active docket. Accordingly, the Court **ORDERS** as follows:

1. All discovery deadlines are continued until further order of the Court.
2. That the Clerk retire each of the cases listed on the attached Exhibit A from the active docket.
3. Plaintiffs and Ethicon may submit an agreed order of dismissal with prejudice on or before August 31, 2018; if settlements are not finalized and dismissal orders are not submitted by August 31, 2018, then the Court will have a hearing to determine the appropriate action pertaining to any remaining cases on the inactive docket.

Counsel for plaintiffs and defendant(s) are directed to provide quarterly reports as to their progress in dismissing cases on the inactive docket. The Court is aware that counsel have agreed

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<sup>1</sup> As used herein, "Ethicon" refers collectively to Johnson & Johnson, Ethicon LLC, Ethicon, Inc. as well as any of its former or present parent companies, subsidiaries, affiliated companies, directors, officers, design surgeons, employees, distributors, detail representatives named in an action pending in MDL No. 2327

to a settlement model for a group of cases and claims, including those on Exhibit A. The Court will reinstate any case on the attached Exhibit A to the active docket if one of the parties, on motion, shows good cause for such reinstatement. Good cause includes, but is not limited to, a plaintiff's refusal or inability to consummate settlement. Such motion must be accompanied by an affidavit from plaintiff explaining such refusal or inability.

The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to file a copy of this order in MDL No. 2327 and in the individual cases listed on the attached Exhibit A. The Clerk is further **DIRECTED** to link this Order to the Proposed Inactive Docket order filed at ECF NO. 5374, and send a copy of this Order to counsel of record and any unrepresented party.

Respectfully submitted,

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JOSEPH R. GOODWIN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**EXHIBIT A****WRIGHT SCHULTE**

<b>Last Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Case No.</b>
Allen	Phyllis	2:12cv08419
Bishop	Susan	2:13cv04157
Boyles	Crystal	2:13cv11761
Driscoll	Kim	2:13cv04158
Fulk	Leona	2:13cv11762
Greenwald	Rebecca	2:13cv11763
Hardman	Shari	2:14cv00577
Harms	Phyllis	2:14cv00578
Johnson	Holly	2:14cv05153
Keller	Amy	2:14cv05156
Kravetz	Paula	2:13cv11769
Kucera	Amy	2:13cv11764
LaCour	Joyce	2:14cv05157
Lange	Michelle	2:13cv04803
Lashbrook	Marcia	2:14cv05158
Luipold	Elizabeth	2:16cv02199
Mielke	Jacqueline	2:15cv13806
Popma	Mary	2:13cv11765
Richardson	Patricia	2:14cv05160
Salzer	Alicia	2:14cv19694
Shannon	Kimberly	2:16cv08599
Shaw	Roilene	2:13cv11766
Werner	Brenda	2:13cv11768
Williams	Donna	2:13cv12486